



State of Michigan
Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs
UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE AGENCY
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PROTEST OF A (RE)DETERMINATION

Name: _____

SSN:

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Telephone number: _____

BEFORE COMPLETING THIS FORM, READ "YOUR PROTEST AND APPEAL RIGHTS" CONTAINED IN THE "UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS IN MICHIGAN" BOOKLET YOU RECEIVED OR READ ONLINE. ATTACH 1 COPY OF THE (RE)DETERMINATION YOU ARE PROTESTING OR APPEALING.

I WISH TO PROTEST THE DETERMINATION

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APPEAL THE REDETERMINATION

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MAILED OR PERSONALLY SERVED DATE: _____
DATE SHOWN AT BOTTOM OF (RE)DETERMINATION

FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON(S):

Your Signature

Date

NOTE: IF YOU NEED MORE SPACE, ATTACH ADDITIONAL PAGES.



THIS FORM CAN BE USED TO PROTEST A DETERMINATION OR APPEAL A REDETERMINATION

RIGHT OF PROTEST OR APPEAL

Any protest or appeal must be filed by mail or fax and received within 30 calendar days from the date of mailing (see front of form). If the 30th day is a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday or Agency non-work day, the protest or appeal must be received by the Unemployment Insurance Agency (UIA) by the next day which is neither a Saturday, Sunday, legal holiday, nor Agency non-work day.

If you disagree with a determination and want to protest, request a redetermination:

- Protests must be **in writing** and may be done through your web account. Clearly state the reason for disagreeing with the determination.
- Attach copies of any documents, employer notices, correspondence, or other types of information which may clarify the issue you are protesting. These documents will not be returned, so send duplicates or copies.
- All correspondence must have the unemployed worker's name and Social Security number, and the name of the employer.
- If the 30 day protest period has already lapsed, your statement should indicate why your protest was not submitted on time.
- You must **submit your protest** by mail to: UIA, P.O. Box 169, Grand Rapids, MI 49501-0169 **OR**
Fax to: 1-517-636-0427

If you disagree with a redetermination and want to appeal, request a hearing before an Administrative Law Judge (ALJ):

- Appeals must be **in writing and signed**. Clearly state the reason for disagreeing with the redetermination.
- All correspondence must have the unemployed worker's name and Social Security number, and the name of the employer.
- You must **submit your appeal** by mail to: UIA, P.O. Box 124, Grand Rapids, MI 49501-0124 **OR**
Fax to: 1-616-356-0739

IMPORTANT ADVOCACY INFORMATION: After you appeal your redetermination to the Administrative Law Judge, an Advocate may be able to assist you at the hearing. This service is free to unemployed workers and employers. If you are interested in using an Advocate, once you have received your *Referee Hearing Notice*, call the Advocacy Program at 1-800-638-3994 and press Option 2. Provide the Advocate Representative with the Appeal Number from your *Referee Hearing Notice* form. Some restrictions in service may apply.

If you have any difficulty completing this form, or have questions, call the Unemployment Insurance Agency at 1-866-500-0017 (TTY customers call 1-866-366-0004).